

DESERT AIRMAN

Davis-Monthan Air Force Base, Ariz.

Friday, May 4, 2001



Staff Sgt. J. Elaine Hunnicutt

Earth Day

Abbey Shore, 2-year-old daughter of Frank and Kate Shore, 355th Civil Engineer Squadron, pets a Columbian boa during the Earth Day celebration Saturday at Heritage Park. The 355th Civil Engineer Squadron hosted the event to raise awareness about Arizona wildlife and the importance of recycling. See **Page 13** for more information.

AAFES changes check cashing policies mid-May

By Tech. Sgt.
B. Coors-Davidson
Public Affairs

In an effort to help protect customers from identity theft, the Army and Air Force Exchange Service is installing a new system so a customer's Social-Security number will no longer be required on checks.

AAFES began the "Check Acceptance Test" in February at exchanges in San Antonio. The program began worldwide rollout last month.

"The new check program will take effect at state-side bases on the East Coast first and progress to western bases followed by overseas bases," said Dewey Brown, Davis-Monthan AAFES manager. "We are still installing the special equipment in our facilities, and expect the program will take effect here mid-May."

Under the new program, a customer still shows their military identification card when making a purchase. When the customer is writing a check, the cashier enters the social security number into the register, but it is no longer required to be written on the check and is not printed on the back of the check. The system verifies that the customer is authorized to make purchases and has no outstanding debt to AAFES.

"The new program should alleviate concerns about possible identity theft, and improve service," Brown said. "Customers can still get up to \$300 cash per day at AAFES facilities worldwide. Anyone who has special concerns or circumstances should ask to talk

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Welcome to Davis-Monthan



Lightning Strikes!

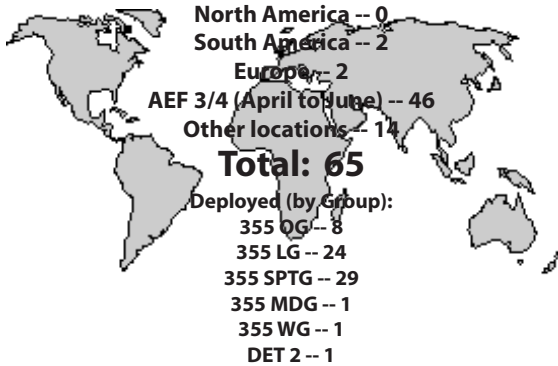
Col. Francis Gibbons, Chief, Threat Assessment for Defense Threat Reduction Agency
Navy Rear Adm. David Stone, Commander, Cruiser Destroyer Group 5, San Diego, Calif.
Navy Rear Adm. Thad Allen, Commander 7th Coast Guard District, Miami, Fla.

355th Wing Flying Goals

Sorties	A/OA-10s			Hours	EC-130E/Hs		
Goal	351	437	425	Goal	262	355	238
Flown	28	23	23	Flown	14	361	248
Delta	3	1	3	Delta	0	6	9
FY01	37	88	25	FY01	10	53	97

Current as of Wednesday

Where are 355th Wing members deployed?



Last year, **298** members of the 355th Wing were deployed.
Current as of Monday

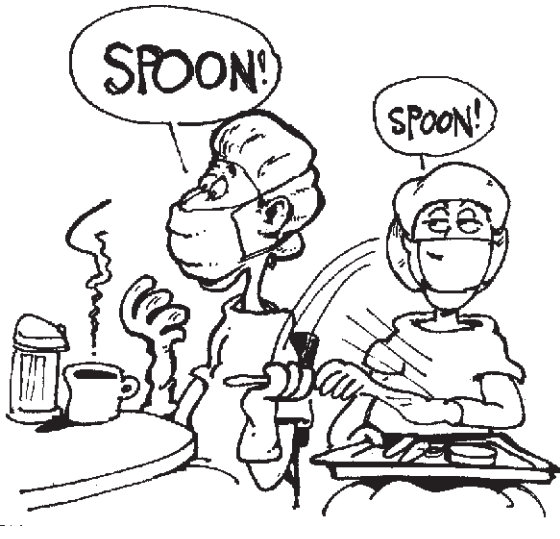
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Physician explains highs, lows of caffeine

Caffeine is the most widely consumed psychoactive substance in the world. Global consumption is over 120,000 tons of caffeine per year. This is the equivalent of five billion caffeine-containing beverages daily.

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Cinco de Mayo celebrates victory

Cinco De Mayo (meaning 5th of May) is widely mistaken in the United States as the day Mexico commemorates its independence. To set the record straight, Mexico's independence from Spain is celebrated Sept. 16 each year and occurred in 1821. Cinco de Mayo is an important date in Mexican history that commemorates a victory by Mexican troops in "La Batalla de Puebla" (The Battle of Puebla) over the more powerful French Army. This battle took place May 5, 1862.

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Desert Lightning Channel

7 to 8 a.m. - Base Announcements
8 to 8:30 a.m. - Air Force News
8:30 to 8:38 a.m. - D-M News Show
8:38 to noon - Base Announcements
noon to 12:30 p.m. - Air Force News
12:30 to 12:38 p.m. - D-M News Show
12:38 to 6 p.m. - Base Announcements
6 to 6:30 p.m. - Air Force News
6:30 to 6:38 p.m. - D-M News Show
6:38 to 8 p.m. - Base Announcements
8 to 9:01 p.m. - Programs ("Welcome to Andersen AFB; A Day in the Life of an Airman; History of the Air Force; Camouflage, Concealment and Deception; Desert Shield/

Desert Storm")
9:01 to 10 p.m. - Base Announcements
10 to 10:30 p.m. - Air Force News
10:30 to 10:38 - D-M News Show
10:38 to midnight - Base Announcements
12:01 to 1:01 a.m. - Programs
1:01 to 2 a.m. - Base Announcements
2 to 2:30 a.m. - Air Force News
2:30 to 2:38 a.m. - D-M Show
2:38 to 4 a.m. - Base Announcements
4 to 5:01 a.m. - Programs
5:01 to 7 a.m. - Base Announcements (Script recycles)

For questions about the programming on the Desert Lightning Channel, Cox Communications Channel 75, call 8-3204.

Future Force

355th Wing recruiting rates

	(year to date)
Recruiting events:	150
Referrals:	5,294
Local recruiter goals (year to date)	
Goal:	120
Enlistees:	113



(Current as of Wednesday)

355th Wing retention rates


	(First quarter)
1st term:56% 2nd term:73% Career:95%	
Air Force retention rates	
1st term:56% 2nd term:70% Career:91%	

81 airmen were saved from the consequences of driving under the influence by the Airmen Against Drunk Driving Program since Dec. 31.

Call AADD at **850-2233**
10 p.m. to 5 a.m. Fridays and Saturdays and 4 p.m. to midnight Sundays for a ride.

5 days since last D-M DUI
Last unit: **357th FS**
(Current as of Wednesday)

Commander's Corner



Col. Bobby Wilkes
355th Wing Commander

Commander's Salute

This week I salute the 355th Medical Group laboratory for being awarded Accreditation with Distinction from the College of American Pathologists.

Supporting each other and working together to provide the best programs and services is a common goal we all share as members of Team D-M.

Ideas, suggestions, comments and kudos are an important ingredient for continuous improvement.

The fastest way to pass along comment or to get an answer to your concern is to contact the agency chief or functional manager listed here.

Still no solution? The Commander's Corner phone line is available 24 hours a day, at **228-4747**, or you can send an e-mail to us at: 355thWing.CommandersCorner@dm.af.mil.

If you leave your name, phone number and a message, you'll receive a prompt reply, either in writing or by telephone. We will honor your confidentiality, but sometimes we need to contact callers to gather additional

information. If your concern is of general interest to the base populace, the response may be published in the *Desert Airman*. Anonymous calls may not be published in the newspaper, we recommend you leave a contact phone number if you'd like us to provide an answer.

AAFES Agencies	8-3904
Accounting and Finance	8-4964
Chaplain	8-5411
Civil Engineering	8-3401
Clinic	8-2930
Commissary	8-3116
Family Support	8-5690
Fitness Center	8-3714
Housing Office	8-3687
Inspector General	8-3559
Legal	8-6432
Lodging	8-4845
Military/Civilian	
Equal Opportunity Office	8-5509
Military Personnel	8-5689
Public Affairs	8-3204
Security Forces	8-6178
Services	8-5596
Transportation	8-3584

AAFES payments
Concern: I am calling regarding the Army Air Force Exchange Service Star account drop box at the Shoppette location. I had the understanding that it was an easier method of payment.

We made a payment and it was not picked up until a week later, due to someone being out sick.

We called AAFES to try to resolve it, because there were late charges assessed to our account. That is totally unfair to customers.

The sign says it is supposed to be picked up daily, and it is not. Everyone else's payment that was there has also been assessed a late charge. I hope this can be resolved in the future.

Response: Thank you for your concerns regarding the Star Payment drop box at the shoppette.

We apologize for the late booking of your Star Account payment and the inconvenience associated with it.

As a result, AAFES has changed its procedures on checking the contents of

the Star Payment drop box at the Shoppette to ensure payments placed in the drop box are delivered to the Main Base Exchange for processing Monday through Fridays.

AAFES will reimburse you and all others for the finance late charge assessed as a result of the box not being checked as advertised.

Dewey Brown, AAFES General Manager, 8-3904, welcomes your concerns, suggestions or compliments regarding any of AAFES' services on base.

Helmets
Concern: I was under the impression that if you were on wheels on base, i.e. scooter, skateboard, bicycle, in-line skates, you are supposed to wear a helmet.

I regularly see children out and around without helmets, and the security forces drive right by them without saying anything to them.

Are people given any kind of briefing when they move on base? If they are, then why aren't children being stopped and taken home to their parents to discuss it, or

given some sort of warning for their safety?

Response: Thank you for your question concerning helmet wear on Davis-Monthan AFB.

The D-M Supplement to Air Force Instruction 31-204, *Motor Vehicle and Traffic Supervision*, in addition to a wing commander policy letter dated July 26, 1999, require bicyclists, roller-skaters, rollerbladers, skateboarders, and those on scooters to wear approved safety helmets while riding/skating on base.

Security forces will enforce helmet wearing, but directed police actions are their first priority.

Parents need to be aware of the safety requirements and ensure their children are in compliance.

When any of us see a child not wearing a helmet, it is all of our responsibility to take the time to explain the base policy and good safety practices.

Bottomline: children's safety is all of our concern.

Final Answer

May is National Physical Fitness and Sports Month

What do you do to keep fit?



2nd Lt. Jackie Malerba
355th Communications Squadron

"I like to try new and exciting workouts to mix up my fitness. Right now I am into roller blading."



Staff Sgt. Vondray Sanford
12th Air Force

"I run on the new track and use the base gym."



Staff Sgt. Mitch Miller
355th Logistic Support Squadron

"I play racketball and throw frisbee."



Senior Airman Ida Breaux
355th Medical Support Squadron

"I run and eat lots of fruits and vegetables."



Lt. Col. Myron "Free" Freeman
355th Security Forces Squadron commander

"I do PT three times a week with my squadron."



Les James
Park University student

"Lift weights and bike."

Antiterrorism and Force Protection Awareness

The last decade has seen a significant shift in our view of terrorism in the United States.

While we once thought of terrorism as occurring outside our borders, the bombings in Oklahoma City and the World Trade Centers brought home the harsh reality that this heinous crime knows no boundaries.

Since domestic terrorism has become an increased risk for us all, it is important to keep in mind the many simple, but effective measures we can take to protect ourselves and loved ones.

This applies to our work, home, and travel in the local area.

Crime prevention techniques used to deter ordinary criminals have also proven effective against terrorists.

Demonstrated security consciousness has caused terrorists to look elsewhere on many occasions.

Alert, aware people who have taken steps to reduce their vulnerability are often too difficult a target.

The key is to try to become a "hard" target.

There are many simple steps one can take to become a "hard target."

Viewing your residence from a hostile perspective and making changes to improve security takes only a small amount of time, but can provide great rewards.

Consider the natural defenses of the area, existing features of the house, and potential for improvement.

If you choose to live off base, consider the criminal and terrorist threat. Always vary your routes to and from your workplace.

Avoid an established pattern or routine. Before operating your vehicle, always take the time to conduct a simple vehicle search.

Look for signs of tampering or any other unexplained objects. Never handle suspicious objects.

Contact the appropriate authorities if you notice anything out of the ordinary.

The bottom line is to be aware of your surroundings and avoid becoming complacent.

Consult your local Security Forces on how to better protect your home, car, and family.

Call Master Sgt. Ron Hoover or Tech. Sgt. James Dokken at 8-6947 for information about Antiterrorism and Force Protection. (Courtesy 355th Security Forces Squadron)



Airman 1st Class Latonia Brown

Shadow program

Staff Sgt. Jeff Bradley (right) and Staff Sgt. Brian Johnson, 355th Security Forces Squadron, demonstrate an M-249 Saw Squad automatic weapon to Kiel Tiitsman, 11th grader at Amphitheater High School, April 25, as part of the Davis-Monthan AFB Shadow Program. The program hosts local schools throughout the area periodically as a Future Force recruiting initiative.

D-M celebrates APA Heritage Month

By Senior Airman Eden Rose Nim Castillo
355th Supply Squadron

Every May, the nation celebrates the Asian Pacific American Heritage month to foster an increased national awareness of the history and contributions of Asian and Pacific Americans and to inspire a renewed sense of pride among Americans of Asian and Pacific ancestry.

In order to understand the significance of APAH month, it is important to understand the evolution, emergence, and convergence of many diverse groups that comprise the Asian Pacific American community. APAH month celebrates the collective accomplishments of these heterogeneous communities. This year's theme "Asian Pacific Americans: Emerging Together."

APAH month is a political designation that encompasses many ethnic groups with diverse backgrounds, histories, languages, and cultures. The term attempts to give expression to cultural, linguistic, and ethnic diversity while recognizing common historical experiences in American history.

Moving into the new century, the increasingly diverse Asian American and Pacific American population is the fastest-growing racial group in the United States. It includes members of more than 30 ethnic groups that speak more than 300 languages and dialects. Accompanying this high degree of diversity are many new trends in APA communities. The United States is a nation comprised almost entirely of immigrants and their descendants. The interaction and emergence of different cul-

tures, each of which has become a vital part of a culture uniquely American, constantly revitalizes our national spirit and heritage.

During the years, it has been proven that there is a lot of APA communities that have been successful by helping and supporting each other. Asian-American population and political growth, values, military notables and contributions, as well as general contributions and information sources has become a valuable part of our growing community.

To celebrate Asian Pacific American Heritage Month, the Davis-Monthan AFB Asian Pacific American Heritage Association will host a luncheon May 9 at the Desert Oasis Enlisted Club. The guest speaker is Dr. Esther Don Tang, YWCA Woman of the Year Lifetime Achievement Award recipient and Woman of the Year for Pan Asian Community Alliance. A musical journey featuring Korean, Hawaiian, Thai, and Filipino dancers will provide entertainment during the luncheon.

APAHA will also sponsor an essay writing contest for student in grades three through five from different schools on the topic "People from Different Cultures Working Together."

The committee along with the Under-Age Drinking Task Force and the Catholic Women's Group is sponsoring a free Asian dinner for the Dormitory residents May 24 at 6 p.m., at the dormitory four corners area. Entertainment, games, and music will also be provided.

For tickets or for more information about the APAH month celebration, call Marie Hanna at 8-3812; Tech. Sgt. Veronica Donithan at 8-2322; Castillo at 8-3440; or Senior Airman Jenet Denney at 8-6514.



**Airman
of the Quarter**
Airman 1st Class
Hernandez

355th Services Squadron

Hernandez oversees the Lodging Office's \$80,000 linen contract. She achieved a 90 and 95 percent occupancy rates and managed 7,000 reservations, a 20 percent increase over the previous quarter, providing outstanding service to all guests.



NCO of the Quarter
Tech. Sgt.

Milton Thompson
612th Combat
Operations Squadron

Thompkins was praised for Joint Task Force exercise, Unified Endeavor. He designed primary and backup datalink architecture for use by joint warfighters.



Senior NCO of the Quarter
Senior Master Sgt.
Honolito Directo

355th Transportation Squadron

Directo led 85 people in maintenance support of 750 vehicles worth \$32 million. He contributed to an a 95 percent average vehicle in-commission rate.



**Company Grade
Officer of the
Quarter**
2nd Lt.

Timothy Baumgartner
355th Civil Engineer Squadron

Baumgartner was the project officer for the Environmental Safety and Occupational Health Compliance Assessment and Management Program inspection. The base received "model program" recognition. His flight's hazardous waste and materials protocols were named ACC benchmark practices.



**Civilian
of the Quarter**
Ruby Johnson

355th Communications Squadron

Johnson drives the 355th Communications Squadron's command staff correspondence and office automation procedures, lead orderly room operations in the absence of the NCO in charge, processes awards/decorations, performance reports and official correspondents and processes all travel arrangements for the squadron commander.



**Civilian Supervisor
of the Quarter**

Cort Jamison
355th Civil Engineer
Squadron

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Thunderbird's newest recruit



Leberknight

Staff Sgt. Edgar Leberknight, 42nd Airborne Command and Control Squadron, has been selected by the U.S. Air Force Thunderbirds demonstration team.

Leberknight will join the team in December in Las Vegas, Nev.

Leberknight has been a maintenance scheduler for 11 years.

The purpose of the Thunderbirds is to aid recruiting and demonstrate the capabilities of Air Force aircraft. Leberknight is confident in his recruiting skills.

"(It is easy to sell) something you believe in," said Leberknight. For more information about the team and how to join see www.airforce.com/thunderbirds/ for more information.

Load crew wins quarterly competition

The 357th Fighter Squadron won the 355th Wing Weapons Load Crew of the Quarter competition April 13. The competition was a load off between the 354th FS, 357th FS and 358th FS best weapons load crews. During the competition the crews loaded four cluster bombs.

Other areas scored during the competition were dress and appearance, tool kit inspection and a written test. The winning Weapons Load Crew, crew-1, was comprised of Staff Sgt. Brandon Kooyers, Senior Airman Travis Parton and Senior Airman Shawn Bergman.

AAFES

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with the manager on duty."

Once the program goes into effect, cashiers will remind customers that Social Security numbers are no longer required on checks.

"It's AAFES policy to take every practical step to ensure the privacy of the service members, retirees and family members we serve," said Tim Bailey, AAFES Management Information Systems Fiscal Support Branch chief. "AAFES has made this commitment as a part of our mission to better serve customers throughout the world."

Computer Tip

AFI 33-112 directs Air Force members in the proper use of computers. Specifically, it states in paragraph 19.1 computers are for official or authorized purposes only. Each computer user in the Davis-Monthan AFB domain is required to sign an affidavit, provided by their unit Workgroup Manager, in which they affirm their knowledge of the "rules of the road" before their first login.

If the Web site doesn't enhance the performance of your official duties, or isn't specifically authorized by your unit commander, such as a world news Web site, don't go there.

Recently at D-M, in spite of the 355th Wing Commander's zero-tolerance policy, some Air Force members have felt they were crafty enough to avoid detection of their visits to adult-oriented (porn) Web sites.

The 355th Communications Squadron has cutting edge detection and monitoring software and uses it continually to see who uses such internet sites. So read the warning banner the next time you login. The Air Force is serious about internet security enforcement practice.

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Always look sharp in uniform appearance

By Maj. Michael Plummer

355th Logistics Support Squadron commander

I was dismayed a short while ago to see that the wing leadership was considering forming a detail of NCOs to roam the base and enforce Air Force Instruction 36-2903, Dress and Appearance of Air Force Personnel. I figured that every unit is busy enough already without having to pull the experienced, mid-level NCOs out of their work centers to check up on fellow airmen who should know and be able to follow instructions. But like me, several Chiefs and commanders have noticed that many of our fellow Air Force members don't know, can't remember, or simply don't care to abide by basic uniform rules.

Since many of us are too busy, uninvolved, or embarrassed to correct our peers, it falls to wing leadership to correct the problem. The area of greatest concern to wing leadership was the area in front of the Base Exchange, but that is by no means the only place where members violate the Air Force instructions covering these areas.

I frequently get my lunch from the flight kitchen—it's close to my office and it's cheap, so I save time and money. Unfortunately for many airmen, I have a few minutes on my hands while my meal is being prepared. More often than not, I see airmen who need a haircut or a shave or think that the hat is optional if they run fast from their car to the no hat area. When I catch someone, I quiz them on the offense to see if they know what is wrong and what the AFI says about the proper procedures. Most males know that sideburns can't extend below the opening of the ear, but there are a lot of Elvis impersonators out there. Most females know that hair pins or ribbons must be similar to their hair color, but many must be color blind because bright yellow ribbons and blonde hair are not



Staff Sgt. Jeremiah Erickson

Maj. Mike Plummer is commander of the 355th Logistics Support Squadron.

similar. Are enlisted members at the flight kitchen the only offenders? Definitely not! I've seen airmen, NCOs, and officers who fail to wear their hat when they go off-base to a restaurant for lunch or stop at a convenience store. Airmen of all ranks wander the area in front of the BX with an AAFES bag in one hand and their hat in the other. Less than a month ago, I corrected two captains in uniform who wandered out of the officer's club to the parking lot without their flight cap on. It is a problem that affects all ranks, both on and off-base.

Many people feel it is OK to violate dress and appearance instructions and many reasons are cited. Some airmen wear unit-colored t-shirts on a certain day of the week because they feel it instills esprit de corps and camaraderie. I, and many commanders agree with their reasoning, but colored T-shirts are not allowed by any instruction. Some airmen wear mirrored sunglasses, some with colored lenses, because it cuts down on the glare experienced in our desert environment. I, and many eye care professionals would agree with their reasoning, but mirrored lenses are prohibited by AFI. Some airmen wear mustaches that don't meet the

standard because to meet the AFI they would have to wear a "Hitler" type mustache. I agree with their reasoning—in my mind the only mustache that truly meets the AFI is an ugly mustache. There are numerous examples of common violations of AFI 36-2903. But the bottom line is that wearing a colored T-shirt, mirrored sunglasses, or an out-of-limits mustache is just as much a violation of the AFI as wearing a cowboy hat in uniform and something you shouldn't do.

What to do? It's up to each of us to know the instructions on dress and appearance and ensure we meet them each day. Then, as you go about your day, question and correct those around you who don't meet AFI guidelines—don't ignore the problem. Make sure that those who work for you meet dress and appearance standards—if you don't, then you are not meeting standards as a supervisor. In my mind, the worst part about my catching airmen who don't meet standards is that their supervisors and flight chiefs, who see these airmen every day, are letting these violations slip by, and in doing so are reinforcing that these standards are not important. Lastly, if you don't agree with a dress and appearance standard, follow the guidelines and recommend a change to the AFI. That is the proper way to resolve your disagreement instead of just ignoring rules that don't meet with your grooming or fashion preference.

If we all just take a few minutes to ensure we meet dress and appearance requirements and correct those we see who do not, we will solve the problem that wing leadership is concerned about. Just as important, we won't have to work harder to make up for a missing NCO who is away from the section performing a dress and appearance detail. So look sharp in your uniform appearance, correct those who don't, and leave your cowboy hat at home!

First thing we do ... let's 'kill' all the lawyers

By Capt. Alexis Stackhouse

355th Wing Legal Office

While there are some who may take hearty agreement with the title of this article taken from Shakespeare's Play, II Henry, in fact it is a testament to the extremely important role that the law and legal systems play in a civilized society.

In the case of King Henry, a band of ruffians intends to overthrow the government and replace the King with their own royal selection.

They intend to kill all the lawyers first because they know that in overthrowing a government, you must first destroy all semblances of order and process and create chaos.

To do this, you must get rid of all rules and procedures. In the military, a word built on a litany of rules and procedures, our base legal office is extremely important in helping maintain order.

The month of May celebrates the Law and its impact on our communities. It is a time when lawyers and others that work in the legal field are charged with reaching out and telling others about our jobs and what we do.

This year, the national theme is "Protecting the Best Interests of Our Children". In the military this is a vital interest. Children of active duty parents are subject to frequent moves, new schools, and having to make new friends all the time. This makes their needs and often, their interaction with the law,

different from that of other children in similar age brackets.

At Davis-Monthan AFB, we are having several events that include our children and allow them to explore the legal field as a career. If you have children that attend the base or local elementary schools, they will be having an art contest where they can draw what America's diversity or what justice means to them.

If you have children that attend local middle or high schools, they will have an opportunity to write an essay on the legal system and the impact of the law in their lives.

Lawyers

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To specifically incorporate the children of our military community even more, we will be placing Goldilocks on trial for bad manners. The fifth graders at the Smith Elementary School will act as the attorneys, clients, judge, and jury in order to illustrate on a basic level, the importance of law and legal process. The entire legal office will be helping the children along and mentoring them for this event.

Not to exclude any group and to spread the joy of Law Month around, we will also be having a "Question of the Week" Contest that will be continuing throughout the month of May. For the next three weeks the Base Paper will be running a legal question in the paper. All military ID cardholders may participate in answering each question only once. The first person to give the correct written answer (no more than 250 words) before 4 p.m. each Friday after the question runs will receive a certificate and a prize during the week of May 28. The ruling of the contest officials is final!

Question for the week of May 4:

When does UCMJ jurisdiction for a member of the Air Force Reserve begin and end?

Cinco de Mayo celebrates victory

Cinco De Mayo (meaning 5th of May) is widely mistaken in the United States as the day Mexico commemorates its independence.

To set the record straight, Mexico's independence from Spain is celebrated Sept. 16 each year and occurred in 1821.

Cinco de Mayo is an important date in Mexican history that commemorates a victory by Mexican troops in "La Batalla de Puebla" (The Battle of Puebla) over the more powerful French Army. This battle took place May 5, 1862.

From the time of its independence in 1821 to the time of this battle, Mexico had suffered many setbacks in its attempts to form a stable republic and endured several incursions into its sovereignty. These setbacks included the secession of Texas from Mexico in 1836, which eventually led to the Mexican - American War of 1846 through 1848. This War was won by the U.S. and resulted in Mexico being forced to surrender approximately half of its territory to the U.S.

The Battle of Puebla raged for about two hours and against tremendous odds. The

humble Mexican Army defeated the French. The Battle of Puebla was the first time that the Mexican people could proudly rally around a common cause.

Cinco de Mayo has tremendous historical and cultural significance to Mexican citizens and individuals of Mexican descent and has become an important event in the United States also.

The National Hispanic Heritage Month Committee invites everyone to come out and support the Desert Oasis Enlisted Club's "Cinco de Mayo" celebration Saturday, in the Shockwave Room from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Roskrige Bilingual Middle School's Folkloric Dancers will present a short performance. Light appetizers provided by the National Hispanic Heritage Month Committee will be served. Additionally, you will be able to dance the night away with DJ Alberto Smith's variety of Latin/Tropical music (merengue, salsa, cumbia, reggae). For more information, call the Enlisted Club at 8-3100, Master Sgt. David Triana at 8-9238 or Airman 1st Class Vincent Juarez at 228-9821.

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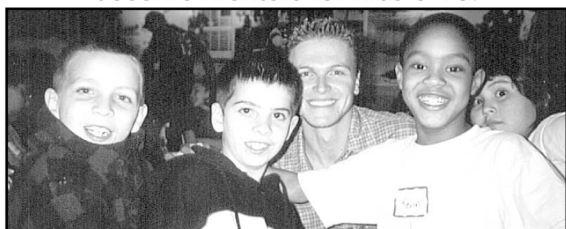


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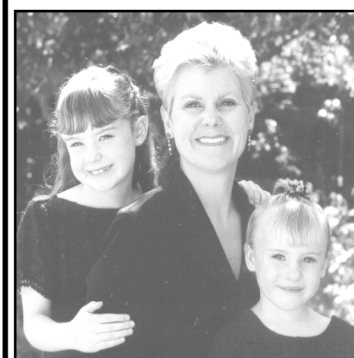
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Intro to Western Civ II	30351	HIS102	3	MTWTh	11:40-12:55
Prealgebra	30355	MAT086	3	MTWTh	11:40-12:55
Elementary Algebra	30357	MAT092	3	MTWTh	11:40-12:55
Intermediate Algebra	30365	MAT122	3	MW	8:45-11:25
Psychology I	30378	PSY100A	3	MW	8:45-11:25
Elementary Spanish I	30388	SPA102	4	MTW	8:45-11:10
Writing Fundamentals	30394	WRT100	3	MTWTh	11:40-12:55
Writing II	30398	WRT101	3	MTWTh	11:40-12:55

Monday, Wednesday classes May 30 - July 21

***(PSY101 & SPA101 also meet Friday)**

Managerial Accounting	30331	ACC102	3	MW	4:45-7:25
Criminal Law	30332	AJS109	3	MW	4:45-7:25
Business Law	30335	BUS200	3	MW	7:30-10:10
Microeconomic Princ.	30339	ECN201	3	MW	7:30-10:10
Intro to Geology I	30418	GLG101IN	4	MW	4:45-10:15
Hist. of the United States I	30342	HIS141	3	MW	4:45-7:25
Philosophy of Religion	30375	PHI140	3	MW	4:45-7:25
*Intro to Psychology	30381	PSY101	4	MWF	4:45-7:15
Philosophy of Religion	30382	REL140	3	MW	4:45-7:25
*Elementary Spanish I	30385	SPA101	4	MWF	4:45-7:15
Public Speaking	30391	SPE110	3	MW	4:45-7:25
Writing I	30396	WRT101	3	MW	4:45-7:25
Writing II	30401	WRT102	3	MW	7:30-10:10

Tuesday, Thursday classes May 29 - July 21

***(MAT 151 also meets Friday)**

Financial Accounting	30330	ACC101	3	TTh	4:45-7:25
Macroeconomic Principles	30340	ECN202	3	TTh	7:30-10:10
Supervision	30354	MAN122	3	TTh	4:45-7:25
PreAlgebra	30356	MAT086	3	TTh	4:45-7:25
Elementary Algebra	30358	MAT092	3	TTh	4:45-7:25
Intermediate Algebra	30359	MAT122	3	TTh	7:30-10:10
*College Algebra	30368	MAT151	4	TThF	4:45-7:10
Topics in Calculus	30369	MAT212	3	TTh	4:45-7:25
Calculus I	30371	MAT220	5	TTh	5:00-9:30
Intro to Philosophy	30377	PHI101	3	TTh	4:45-7:25

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Tuesday, Thursday classes cont'd					
Intro to Politics	30408	POS100	3	TTh	7:30-10:10
Psychology II	30380	PSY100B	3	TTh	4:45-7:25
Minority Relations & Urban Soc	30384	SOC201	3	TTh	7:30-10:10
Public Speaking	30393	SPE110	3	TTh	7:30-10:10
Writing II	30400	WRT102	3	TTh	4:45-7:25

Internet classes May 29-July 21

Macroeconomic Principles	30854	ECN202	3	TBA	TBA
Introduction to Sociology	30417	SOC101	3	TBA	TBA

Saturday only classes (8 Weeks) May 29 - July 21

Personal Invest. Portfolio	30341	FIN111	3	S	8:00-2:15
Intro to Western Civ. I	30349	HIS101	3	S	8:00-2:15
Human Relations in Business & Industry	30353	MAN110	3	S	8:00-2:15

Friday, Saturday classes (4 Weekends) June 1 - June 23

Exploring Music	30373	MUS151	3	F	(5:00-9:00)S(8:00-3:00)
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Friday, Saturday classes (4 Weekends) June 29 - July 21

Intro/Computers-Info Sys.	30336	CIS100	3	F	(5:00-9:00)S(8:00-6:30)
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Fri, Sat, Sun classes (3 Weekends) June 1 - June 17

Hist. of Indians of N. Am.	30333	ANT148	3	F	(5:00-9:00)S(8:00-4:00)Su(1:00-4:05)
Hist. of Indians of N. Am.	30343	HIS148	3	F	(5:00-9:00)S(8:00-4:00)Su(1:00-4:05)
Intro to Internat. Relations	30404	POS120	3	F	(5:00-9:00)S(8:00-4:00)Su(1:00-4:05)
Elementary Spanish I	30386	SPA101	4	F	(5:00-9:00)S(8:00-5:00)Su(8:15-5:00)

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Integrated Office Suite	30338	CSA141	4	F	(5:00-9:00)S(8:00-6:00)Su(8:00-5:40)
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Fri, Sat, Sun classes (3 Weekends) June 29- July 15

Intercultural Perspectives	30352	HUM260	3	F	(5:00-9:00)S(8:00-4:00)Su(1:00-4:05)
College Algebra	30366	MAT151	4	F	(5:00-9:00)S(8:00-5:00)Su(8:15-5:00)
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Health Focus

By Dr. Michael Breslow
355th Medical Group

Caffeine is the most widely consumed psychoactive substance in the world. Global consumption is over 120,000 tons of caffeine per year.

This is the equivalent of five billion caffeine-containing beverages daily.

Coffee is the main source of caffeine, with lesser amounts from tea and soda. The coffee plant originated in Ethiopia and was transported to Yemen in the fifteenth century. By the early sixteenth century, infusing coffee beans with water to make a beverage was common throughout Arabia. Coffee spread rapidly to other parts of the world. In Arabic it was referred to as *gahwah*. In Turkish the equivalent name was *kahveh*, which became *café* in French, *kaffee* in German, and finally coffee in English. The United States consumes more coffee than any other country in the world. Americans consume about eleven pounds of coffee per person per year. Northern European countries, particularly Scandinavians, consume more than double this amount per person.

Tea, the second greatest source of consumed caffeine, originated in Southeast Asia and was consumed as early as the fourth century. The Dutch brought it to Europe in 1610, and it rapidly spread, becoming the favored

Physician explains highs, lows of caffeine

caffeinated beverage in England and Ireland, where today more than seven pounds of tea are consumed per person per year. Americans consume only a tenth as much tea as the British and Irish.

Less caffeine is found in cocoa and chocolate, although these also contain related psychoactive substances called theobromines in greater amounts. The cocoa tree was native to the Amazon and first known cultivation was by the Mayans. Cortez brought cocoa back to Spain in 1528. It was drunk as a hot beverage until milk chocolate was invented in Switzerland in 1876. As with coffee, America consumes more chocolate than any other country in the world. Americans consume more than four pounds of cacao per person per year. The Swiss consume more than eight pounds per person per year.

Cola beverages contain extracts from Cola nuts which contain small amounts of caffeine. Cola nuts originated in West Africa. Only five percent of the caffeine in Cola beverages is from the Cola nut, ninety five percent is added later in processing.

Caffeine can also occur in over the counter medicines, diet

and body building supplements. The amounts in each preparation can vary greatly.

On average, beverages compare as follows: six ounces of coffee contains 100mg caffeine, six ounces of decaffeinated coffee contains 4mg caffeine, six ounces of tea contains 50mg caffeine, six ounces of Cola soda contains 20mg caffeine.

As with any substance, the sensitivity of individuals varies greatly depending on genetics, health, prior use and other substances in the body. For most people, moderate amounts of caffeine (50-200mg per day) result in increased energy and alertness. With increasing dose, performance declines and on higher doses people become increasingly impaired. This impairment can take the form of anxiety, increased impulsiveness, irritability, insomnia and decreased concentration. In some sensitive individuals, the caffeine found in one can of Cola soda is enough to cause adverse symptoms. For people with epilepsy, caffeine tends to make seizures more severe. Caffeine use can also trigger headaches in migraine sufferers as well as when discontinued in people who regularly consume it. In the

brain, caffeine has strong effects on two important brain chemicals, Serotonin and GABA, among others. Disturbances in these brain chemicals occurs in depression and anxiety disorders. Changing them with caffeine can provoke these problems in susceptible people.

Caffeine has strong effects on many body systems. It increases blood pressure and heart rate. In the kidney it acts like a diuretic, causing fluid loss. In the stomach coffee, colas and tea can worsen ulcers. Higher doses of caffeine commonly cause tremors, restlessness, muscle tightness and spasm, increased levels of stress hormones. The hormonal changes and stress of sleep reduction stemming from caffeine use can cause and worsen depression. Even in people with no history of mood and anxiety problems, caffeine discontinuation causes fatigue, headache, decreased alertness, decreased concentration and lower mood.

In summary, widespread caffeine use is a relatively recent development. Some people have adverse effects from low amounts. The heavier the use, the more likely the adverse effects. Like alcohol and nicotine, just because caffeine is legal and popular doesn't necessarily mean that it is good for you. Because sensitivity to caffeine varies greatly among individuals, every consumer should consider whether it is causing them harm.

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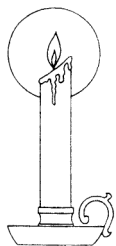
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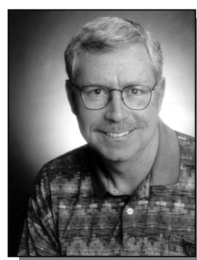
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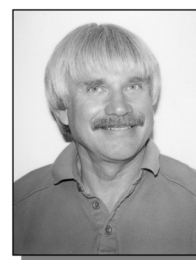
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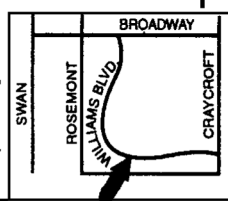
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D-M celebrates Earth Day

The 355th Civil Engineer Squadron hosted an Earth Day celebration Saturday at Heritage Park. Displays included an Arizona bobcat, Harris' hawk, snakes, scorpions, giant cockroaches, a great horned owl and a recycling display. The displays were used to teach visitors the importance of protecting the environment and the creatures that share the land. The recycling display illustrated the senseless waste created by people. For more information about ways to help keep the base clean and to help the environment, call the environmental quality flight at 8-4885.

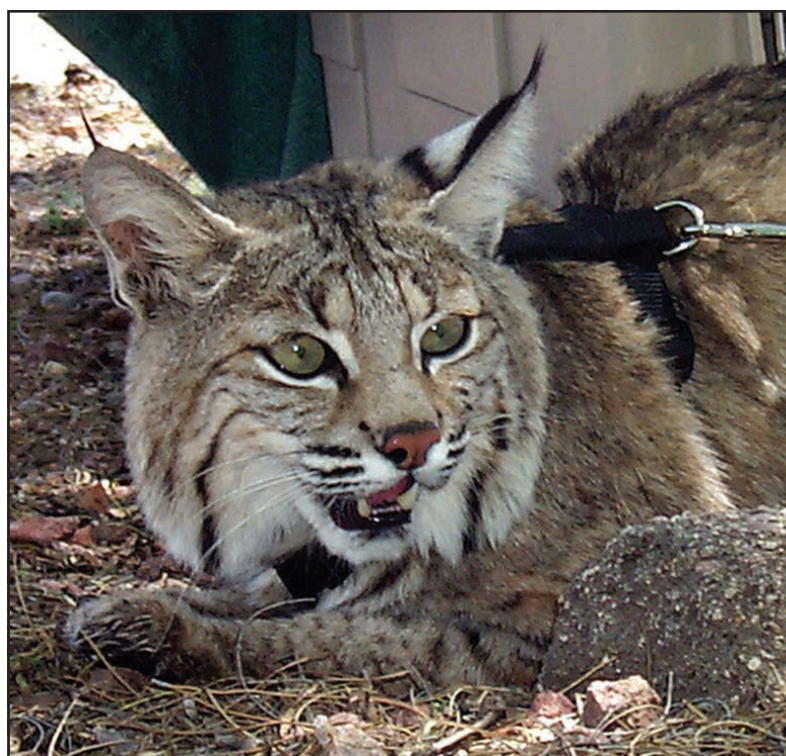


(Above) Jessica Freeman, 11-year-old daughter of Lt. Col. Myron Freeman, 355th Security Forces Squadron commander, feels the pelt of an animal and looks at the skeletal remains of various animals indigenous to Arizona. (Below) Airman James Griffin, 355th CES pest control, shows Zack Shore, 5-year-old son of Kate Shore, 355th CES environmental flight, a snake captured on base.



Photos by Staff Sgt. J. Elaine Hunnicutt

Tom Young, 355th CES recycling center, shows his "dumpster diving" findings. Young collects the valuables and repairs and cleans them up so he can donate them to local agencies. He encourages people reuse or donate unwanted items.



Kathy Schroeder, Wildlife Rehabilitators, brought out a bobcat, the original Arizona "Wildcat," for viewers to see. She explained the lifestyle of the animal, their eating habits and why they are important in the balance of nature. This particular bobcat is used for demonstrations because it was hit a car and suffered a head injury. Due to the injury, it can't hunt and wouldn't survive in the wild.



Sonoran Spotlight

(Editor's note: Sonoran Spotlight is a weekly feature of the Desert Airman that profiles a member (officer, enlisted or civilian) of the Davis-Monthan Air Force Base Desert Lightning community. Members are nominated by their unit commander or first sergeant.)

Name: Senior Airman Sammi Hallmon

Organization: 612th Combat Plans Squadron

Duty title: Information Manager/Workgroup Administrator

Hometown: Lakeland, Ga.

Years of service: Four

Why did you join the Air Force: To get a feel for life. I experienced many things growing up being an Air Force family member, and I was hoping to do them just as my father did. I loved traveling to all countries and being exposed to different cultures and their way of living.

Main responsibilities: Provide technical support in information management and workgroup administration for the 612th Air Operations Group. I keep this place up and running, constantly troubleshooting, updating and reconfiguring computers and software.

Best aspects of your job: Working on computers, networking, and all the challenges of the IM career field, and the staff work required to make a squadron functional.

Career goals: The Air Force is my career, and I intend to make the most of it. My immediate goal is to study, make rank, become a supervisor, manager and become a member of the top one percent of the Air Force ... a Chief Master Sergeant. I want to be a model NCO and take care of the troops.

What do you like best about D-M: I like the location. They have a great Thai restaurant here ... besides, you can't beat the warm weather all year round.

What has been your best assignment; why: I've only been stationed at D-M ... I am looking forward to an assignment in the near future

Who inspires you; why: My father ... a wise man. He is my encyclopedia -- I've learned so many things from him.



Angie Erickson



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Kickin' it, workin' out at Haeffner



The noon hour at the Haeffner Fitness and Sports Center offers something almost daily for exercise and fitness enthusiasts alike. Aerobics instructors teach classes Monday through Saturday, and fitness trainer Corinne Mack teaches spinning (aerobic cycling), circuit training, and kickboxing. In addition, other classes, such as martial arts and belly dancing, are offered for people interested in those types of activities. (Above) Corinne Mack (right) leads her kickboxing class through a kicking exercise. (Below) Jenny Sullivan (left) and another student in the aerobics class pump up their arms and chest by doing push-ups. (Below right) Odelia Gibson works on form and punching in the kickboxing class. A complete list of classes available at the Fitness Center is printed on Page 17. Call the center at 8-3714 for additional details.

Photos by Airman 1st Class Maryanne Walker



Scoreboard

Bowling

OWC

(Week 26)

<u>Team</u>	<u>W-L</u>
Lady Flyers 128-80	
KIDDS	122-86
Coyotes	116-92
Splitsters	114-94
Alley Cats	112-96
Snuffers	111-97
The Eastsiders	105-103
High Game Scratch - Marlene Flyer, 189	
High Series Scratch - Marlene Flyer, 496	

Phantom Mixed

(Week 25)

<u>Team</u>	<u>W-L</u>
Strike Force 132-68	
Lucky Seven	117-83
The Cajuns 113-87	
Strikebusters	111-89
Six Pack	106-94
So So's	105-95
Avengers	104-96
The Dizzy Four	100-100
Sweet Revenge	95-105
Alley Oops	94-106
Rat Pack	79-121

Tuesday Early Risers

(Week 28)

<u>Team</u>	<u>W-L</u>
Hit & Miss	42-82
The Monarchs	138-86
OUI 3	126-98
Hot Cats	106-118
Ally Kats	104-120
Soon's Runway	98-126
Dream Catchers	93-131
Wee Bee Bad	89-135
High Game Scratch - Diana Scott, 212	
High Series Scratch - Diana Scott, 602	

Intramural - National

(Week 29)

<u>Team</u>	<u>W-L</u>
SVS	137-87
AMMO	124-100
AMARC	120-104
12 AF #3	120-104
Supply	116-108
12 AF #1	113-111
MSS	112-112
COMM	106-118
25 OWS #1	104-120
CRS	102-122
TRANS	100-124
358th Wrekin Krew	88-136
High Game Scratch - Jeffrey Carlson,	
236; Anna Johnson, 173	
High Series Scratch - Alan Conant, 601;	
Anna Johnson, 466	

Intramural - American

(Week 29)	
<u>Team</u>	<u>W-L</u>
MDG #2	161-63
41 ECS #2	138-86
42 ACCS #2 132-92	
CONS	132-92
MDG #1	128-96
OSS	116-108
41 ECS #1	105-119
42 ACCS #1 80-144	

Pinrollers

(Week 27)

<u>Team</u>	<u>W-L</u>
Uh Huh Girls	158-58
L-A-D-Y	114-102
Dream Catchers	109-107
Rockers	104-112
Dreamers	103-113
Say What	103-113
Kachina Dolls	100-116
Annie's Girls 99-117	
HGigh Game Scratch - Gloria	
McKinney, 226	
High Series Scratch - Gloria McKinney,	
572	

Thursday Night

(Week 26)

<u>Team</u>	<u>W-L</u>
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Pick One	134-74
Desert Strikers	128-80
Prickly Pairs 120-88	
Cool Cs	110-98
Lickity Splits	109-99
Mission Impossible	108-100
PBJs	106-102
BMs	105-103
Nice N Spicy	104-104
Ice Breakers 102-106	
Four Seas	98-110
Road Runners	94-114
Buck N Does	70-138
Pintenos	68-140
High Game Scratch - Lloyd Lee, 259;	
Lisa Kerr, 188	
High Series Scratch - Smitty Smith, 654;	
Lisa Kerr, 512	

CE Mixed

(Week 17)

<u>Team</u>	<u>W-L</u>
BJ's Bunns	10-2
Good, Bad & Ugly	7-5
Just 4 Fun	7-5
Fire Dawgs	7-5
MILF's	6-6
The Cans	5-7
HVAC	5-7
Brew Crew	5-7
Now N Then	5-7
Old Timers	3-9

Friday Nite Fun

(Week 26)

<u>Team</u>	<u>W-L</u>
Wannabees	136-64
AAFES	122-78
Just Us	110-90
The Misfits	109-91
3 Roses & A Thorn	107-93
Double Trouble	104-96
More BS	96-104
Just Havin' Fun	93-99
Gutter Dusters	93-107
O Spare Us	92-108
Kum Cantasi	88-112
High Game Scratch - Tom Lorentz, 279;	
Reda Lowe, 246	
High Series Scratch - Tom Lorentz, 279;	
Chris Spieker, 604	

Bantams

(Week 23)

<u>Team</u>	<u>W-L</u>
Tigers	133-51
Dragons	131-53
N Sync	96-88
High Game Scratch - Danielle Wayman,	
79	
High Series Scratch- Sabrina Wayman,	
270; John Simon, 265	

Preps, Juniors & Majors

<i>(Week 23)</i>	
<u>Team</u>	<u>W-L</u>
Alley Cats	120-64
The Xtremes	114-70
Desert Pros	106-78
Undertakers	105-79
Jaguars	101-83
Unlimited	96-88
Strikers	92-92
Desert Strikers	87-97
The Bulldogs	86-98
Fox Hound	72-112
NSync Fireballs	68-116
Spawn	43-141
High Game Scratch - Jason Ross, 165;	
Ashley Wakefield, 105 (Preps); Brandon	
Headington, 170; Kelli Davish, 157	
(Juniors); Allen Ekstrom, 153 (Majors)	
High Series Scratch - Tyler Johnson,	
472; Sasha Willis, 329 (Preps); Kevin	
Ekstrom, 477; Ebony Wayman, 412	
(Juniors); Mike CuvIELLO, 528 (Majors)	

Baseball

Little League

(Courtesy of the Youth Center)

<u>Team</u>	<u>W-L</u>
Cubs	2-2
Diamondbacks	2-3
Braves	0-4



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Bowling for Bucks

Bowling for Bucks is back for its fourth year. The annual Air Combat Command promotion runs through July 31.

Three separate segments, Bowling for Bucks, Pinbusters and Bookbusters, give adults and youngsters of all ages a chance to win games, cash and prizes. Bowling for Bucks players use a 10-space punch card. Completed cards are good for two free games, monthly cash and prize drawings, and the \$500 August grand prize drawing. Pinbusters is for bowlers up to 18 years old. They get a free game each time they complete a five-punch card, and they're eligible for monthly and grand prize drawings. Get cards for both segments at the D-M Lanes. Not valid with league and special-event games. Bookbusters, for grades 1 through 12, links bowling to summer reading. Students get a free game by reading five books from the base library. They're also eligible for monthly and grand prize drawings. Cards are issued and validated at the library. ACC's sponsor is MilitaryMoves.com. Call the D-M Lanes, 8-3461, or the library, 8-4381.

Little League

Youth baseball is Monday through Thursday

afternoons, on the ballfields behind 12th Air Force. The baseball snack bar is open the same days, 4 to 9:30 p.m., with a new and improved menu, including ice cream, Eege's drinks, and daily food specials. Daily specials are meatball subs, taquitos, wild west BBQ and chicken wrap. Get youth sports information from Kathy Sands at the youth center, 8-8373.

Soccer tryouts

Tryouts for the base soccer team are at 5 p.m. every Tuesday and Thursday at the field behind the auto hobby shop. Call Jason Bowersock at 8-5257 for more information.

First Sgt golf tournament

D-M's First Sergeants are holding their annual golf tournament May 11 at the Blanchard Golf Course. The format is a four-person scramble, with a 12:30 p.m. shotgun start. The entry fee is \$30 and includes green fees, cart, drinks and mulligans. Sign up by Wednesday by calling Scott Jessee at 8-6951 or Jose Sotelo at 8-3070.

Golf tournament

The National Defense Transportation Association is holding its 6th annual golf tournament May 19 at the Santa Rita Golf Club. Sign in begins at 5:45 a.m., with a 7:30 a.m. tee off.

The format is a four-person scramble and the entry fee is \$50 per person (for civilians and E-6 and above); \$40 per person (for E-5 and below). The sign up deadline is May 11. Sign up sheets are available in the traffic management office in Building 2300. Call Ken Welch or Jeff Daniel at 8-4339 for more information or to sign up.

Softball tournament

The 13th annual "Contracting Weekend Bash" softball tournament is scheduled for June 23 and 24 at the Golf Links/Craycroft Park. Prizes will be awarded for first through third places. Cost is \$160 per team. Call Greg Manning at ext. 8-5478, or Archie Perry at ext. 8-2113 for more information.

Aerobics, exercise classes

The Haeffner Fitness and Sports Center offers a lineup of exercise and aerobics classes each week (instructor name in parentheses). Call 8-3714 for more information.

Monday - 11 a.m. to noon - Step (Veronica/Rumiko); 12:10 to 1 p.m. - Spinning (Corinne); 3 to 4 p.m. - Spinning (MDG only); 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. - Aerobics (Rumiko); 6:45 to 8:45 p.m. - Kajukenbo (Paul)

Tuesday - 8 to 9 a.m. - Senior aerobics (Corinne); 11 a.m. to noon - Step (Veronica/Rumiko); noon to 1 p.m. - Circuit Training (Corinne); 5 to 6 p.m. - Kick boxing (Amber); 6:15 to 8:15 p.m. - Kyokushin (Joseph)

Wednesday - 10 to 11 a.m. - Spinning (MDG only); 11 a.m. to noon - Step (Veronica); 12:10 to 1:10 p.m. - Kick boxing (Corinne); 5:30 to 6:30 - Aerobics (Rumiko); 6:40 to 7:40 p.m. - Belly dancing I (Angela); 7:40 to 8:40 p.m. - Belly dancing II (Angela)

Thursday - 10 to 11 a.m. - Senior aerobics (Corinne); 11:10 a.m. to 12:10 p.m. - Step (Veronica/Rumiko); 12:10 to 1:10 p.m. - Circuit Training (Corinne); 5 to 6 p.m. - Step (Rumiko); 6:10 to 8:10 p.m. - Kyokushin (Joseph)

Friday - 10 to 11 a.m. - Spinning (MDG only); 11 a.m. to noon - Step (Veronica/Rumiko); Noon to 1 p.m. - Spinning (Corinne); 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. - Kajukenbo (Paul)

Saturday - 10 to 11:30 a.m. - Step (Rumiko)


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Chapel events

Desert Dove Chapel Schedule

Saturday: Catholic Mass is at 5:30 p.m.

Sunday: Catholic Mass is at 7:30 and 10 a.m.

Sunday: Protestant Traditional Service is at 11:15 a.m.

Hope Chapel

Sunday: Protestant Contemporary Service is at 8:30 a.m.

Sunday: Protestant Inspirational Gospel Service is at 11:15 a.m.

Daily: Mass or Communion Service is at 11:30 a.m.

Protestant schedule

Today: Aim High Bible study is at 7 p.m. at Desert Dove Chapel annex. Call 889-1715 for more information.

Saturday: Couples' Bible study is at 7 p.m. Call 749-5550 for more information.

Sunday: Contemporary Worship Service is at 8:30 a.m. at Hope Chapel. Sunday school is at 10 a.m. at Desert Dove and Hope Chapels. Traditional Worship Service is at 11:15 a.m. at Desert Dove Chapel annex. Inspirational Gospel Worship Service is at 11:15 a.m. at Hope Chapel.

Tuesday: Ladies Bible studies is from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., and 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at Desert Dove Chapel. Singles Bible study is at 7:30 p.m. in Building 3220. Bible Study for moms is from 6:30 to 8 p.m. at Desert Dove Chapel.

Wednesday: Mid-week Bible study is at noon at Desert Dove Chapel. Promise Keepers Bible study is at 11:30 a.m. at the 355th Equipment Maintenance Squadron conference room in Building 4810.

Prayer and Teaching Time is at 7 p.m. at Desert Dove Chapel. Youth Night, for middle and high school groups, is at 7 p.m. at Desert Dove Chapel. Angel Bible study and choir for elementary groups is at 7 p.m. in the Desert Dove Chapel classrooms.

Inspirational Gospel service

The Inspirational Gospel service of the Protestant Chapel community celebrates its 28th anniversary Sunday at 3 p.m. at the Desert Dove Chapel. The Luke Air Force Base Gospel choir performs with the Davis-Monthan angel, youth and adult choirs.

Catholic schedule

Saturday: Mass is at 5 p.m. at Desert Dove Chapel. Sacrament of Reconciliation is at 4 to 5 p.m. at St. Joseph's Church. Baptisms are the first Saturday of each month at 4 p.m. in Desert Dove Chapel.

Sunday: Mass is at 7:30 and 10 a.m. at Desert Dove Chapel. Sacrament of Reconciliation is 9:15-9:45 a.m. at Desert Dove Chapel.

Monday through Friday: Rosary is at 11:10 a.m. at Hope Chapel. Mass or communion service is at 11:30 a.m. at Hope Chapel.

Baptism: Baptism classes are the Tuesday before the first Sunday of each month are at the Hope Chapel at 6 p.m.

Wednesday: Rite for Christian Initiation is from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at Desert Dove Chapel.

Islamic schedule

Today: Prayer service is from noon to 2 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. in Building 3220 on the third floor in the educational classrooms.

Chapel Website

Check out www.dm.af.mil/chapel for scheduled activities at the chapel.



Staff Sgt. Jeremiah Erickson

Inspiring daughters

Tech. Sgt. Dana Harmel, 355th Communications Squadron NCO-in-charge, Network Help Desk, instructs his daughters, Michelle and Melissa on how to change back up tapes for the wing's Microsoft Exchange Mail Servers. Harmel's daughters spent the day with him as part of the Bring Your Daughter to Work Day program.

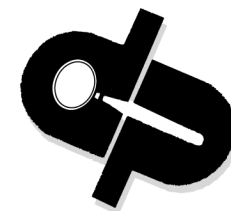
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Gold Star Wives

Gold Star Wives of America, Inc., Tucson Chapter, will hold its luncheon meeting at 11:30 a.m., Saturday, May 5 at the Hungry Fox restaurant, 4737 E. Broadway. This will be our last luncheon for the spring season. Luncheons will resume on September 8. Eligible are survivors of those service men who died on active duty or as the result of service-connected disabilities. For more information call 882-4709. Gold Star Mothers are also invited.

Enlisted Club

"The Desert Oasis Enlisted Club is holding a Cinco de Mayo Fiesta Tropical on Saturday, May 5, 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. in the Shockwave. Alberto Smith, local disc jockey, will play all types of Latin music. A short presentation by a folkloric dance group is scheduled and the 355th Wing National Hispanic Heritage Month Committee is planning to provide light appetizers. No cover charge! For more information, please contact the Enlisted club at 8-3100 or Master Sgt. David Triana at 8-9238.

Thrift Store

The Davis-Monthan thrift shop, located in Building 3220, is open Tuesday and Wednesday 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Consignments are taken until 1 p.m. Call 8-2120 to reserve a space for large items and furniture.

Magicians

The International Brotherhood of Magicians (IBM) Ring 172 is holding a stage show at the Temple of Music and Arts May 12. There will be approximately 10 acts that will be performing including an international champion magician. Cost for the show is \$10 for adults and \$8 for kids. For more information, call

Park University

Park University is continuing on-site registration for the summer term, which begins on Monday, May 28. Registration for the Internet classes begins on Monday, May 7. Please note that on-site registration forms and payment need to be in our office by no later than the Friday before the term starts in order to avoid the \$20 late fee which will be charged to all students who come in to register during the Add/Drop period. For Internet registration, payment has to be made at the time of registration. For more information and/or questions, please contact the Park office at 748-8266.

Family support

Monday: Financial Briefing, 8-10 a.m., Building 3200, Room 266.

Tuesday: Right Start, 8 a.m. to noon, Building 3200, room 266/267. Baby Basics will be held noon to 2 p.m. at Family Advocacy, Building 4220, second floor. Time for Tots, 9:30- 10:30 a.m., Chapel 1(Desert Dove Chapel).

Wednesday: Sponsorship Class, 9-10 a.m., Building 3200, room 266/267.

Thursday: Lt's Briefing, 9-10 a.m., Building 3210.

Give Parents a Break

The next "Give Parents a Break" program is scheduled for Saturday, May 12 and 26 2-6 p.m.

This program offers free childcare to active duty Air Force parents who need a break from the stresses of parenting for a few hours. Families who

are eligible for this program include those where a parent is feeling stress due to military member being deployed, recently moving to base or unique circumstances or hardships. For more information or a referral, call 8-5690.

Hearts Apart

Hearts Apart Day at the Zoo will be Saturday, May 12, beginning at 9:45 a.m. for those who are enrolled in the Hearts Apart program. For more information or reservations, call 8-7111 or 8-2336.

Resume Writing

Are the months flying by faster than you want and you really need to get that resume finished? The Family Support Center conducts a resume-writing workshop May 14 8-10 a.m., Building 3200, room 266. For more information, contact the Family Support Center at 8-5690.

TAP

A three-day transition assistance seminar is held monthly, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. The next seminar will be May 16-18 May. The seminar is a joint venture of the Department of Labor, the Department of Veteran's Affairs and the Department of Defense. All military members and their spouses within 180 days of separation or retirement are eligible to attend. Key subject areas covered include job search techniques, interview techniques, civilian dress, and veteran's benefits. Its primary focus is on preparing departing service members to conduct an effective job search in the civilian marketplace. Spouses are encouraged to attend. Call the Family Support Center for reservations at 8-5690.

Trip Planner

Getting ready to PCS, Separate, or Retire? Traveling by Vehicle? The relocation assistance program at the family support center has Trip Planner software available to help military, DoD civilians, and their families, to better prepare for

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On-base clubs

Officers' Club

Today: Cinco de Mayo party at 5:30 p.m., \$50 Club Cash Coupon drawing.
 Saturday: Surf & Turf dinner special, \$15.95.
 Sunday: Sunday Brunch, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
 Monday: Club closes at 2 p.m.
 Barber open, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.
 Tuesday: Lunch weekdays, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Dining room closed tonight.
 Wednesday: Prime rib for two is \$22.95, 5:30-8 p.m.
 Thursday: Dinner-theater is May 15. Make your reservation now.

Enlisted Club

Today: Two Surf & Turf or prime rib dinners are \$18.95, \$50 Club Cash Coupon drawing, 7:30 p.m.
 Saturday: Cinco de Mayo Fiesta starts at 8 p.m.
 Sunday: Club closed; Cabana opens at 1 p.m.
 Monday: Club closed Mondays. Family Night at Cabana, 4-8 p.m.
 Tuesday: Bingo is at 6 p.m. Win up to \$25,000.
 Wednesday: Lunch is cancelled today.
 Thursday: BBQ buffet lunch is 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Dining room will be closed tonight.
 Eight-ball meet, 6:30 p.m., call Wendy at 748-8666.

Community events

Today: 5K Fun Run/Walk, 7am, inside Swan gate; call 8-3714 Wellness info, 1-3 p.m., at FamCamp
 Saturday: Hike Mt. Lemmon with outdoor rec; phone 8-3736
 Monday: Family Night at Cabana Pizza, 4-8 p.m.
 Tuesday: Wellness info, 1-3 p.m., at FamCamp
 Wednesday: Intramural golf meeting, 2 p.m.; call 8-3734
 Thursday: Children's Story Hour at the library, 11 a.m.

Youth programs

Today: Kids health fair is May 19, at youth center
 Saturday: Teens shop Tucson Mall, 12-6 p.m.; call 8-8844. Preteens/teens play basketball, 7-8pm, at youth center
 Monday: Kickball Olympics at youth center, May 17
 Tuesday: Preteen/teen fitness challenge, 6 p.m.; phone 8-8373
 Wednesday: Preteen movie and pizzas, 6-7 p.m., at youth center
 Thursday: Preteen/teen millionaire tournament at youth center
 TUSD school year ends May 23

Cabana Family Night

Monday is Family Night at Cabana Pizza. Three two-topping medium pizzas, breadsticks and soda costs just \$21.95.
 Family Night is 4-8 p.m., on the patio only.
 Cabana Pizza is open seven days a week, with patio, take-out or free on-base delivery (no deliveries, 2-4 p.m.). Call 747-3234.

Cinco de Mayo

Cinco de Mayo celebrations are tonight at the officers' club, and tomorrow evening at the Desert Oasis Club.

Officers' club members and their guests are invited to the club at 5:30 p.m. Partygoers will be treated to a Mexican food buffet and Mexican music. There's no charge for one club member and a bona fide guest; all others pay \$7. For reservations or information, phone the O' Club at 748-0660.

Saturday's Cinco de Mayo fiesta at the Desert Oasis Club is 8 p.m.-1 a.m., with Mexican and tropical music, T-shirts, prizes and Mexican beer on tap. A Tucson Folklorico group will entertain with authentic Mexican dances. Contact the Desert Oasis for additional details at 748-8666.

Excess property sale

There's a 355th Services Squadron sale of excess property today, 8 a.m.-noon, at the old Aero Club hangar, in Bldg. 1749 (north end of First Street).

Auto shop and restaurant/kitchen equipment, furniture, and miscellaneous items will be sold on the spot, and sealed bids will be accepted for major equipment from the wood-working shop.

Sale items were purchased with nonappropriated funds and are no longer needed. Merchandise is sold as-is, and all sales are final.

Get further information at 8-3033.

\$25,000 bingo jackpot

Bingo players at the Desert Oasis Club can win up to \$25,000. The new \$25,000 jackpot game is played every week, and costs \$3.

Community Bingo is Tuesdays, at 6 p.m.; cards go on sale at 5 p.m. Games are open to the entire base community, regardless of club affiliation. Phone 748-8666 for bingo info.

Services for 4 May 01


Movie theater

Today: Say It Isn't So, (R), 7 p.m.
 Saturday: Hannibal, (R), 7 p.m.
 Sunday: The Mexican, (R), 7 p.m.
 May 11: Just Visiting, (PG-13), 7 p.m.
 May 12: Chocolat, (PG-13), 7 p.m.
 May 13: Exit Wounds, (R), 7 p.m.

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Multi-family / PCS Yard Sale Saturday, May 5th 0800 til ? 5820 / 5836 Mitchell Ave. (on base behind Smith Elementary)

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- ☐ MOTORCYCLES
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- ☐ LOST & FOUND
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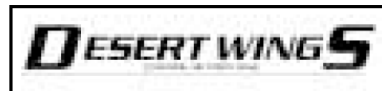
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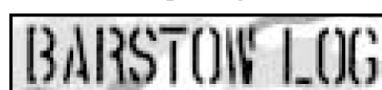
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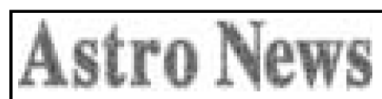
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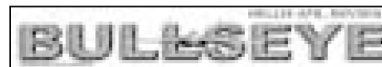
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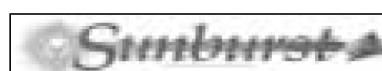
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AEROTECH EXPO JOB FAIR

Sat., July 14th, 2001

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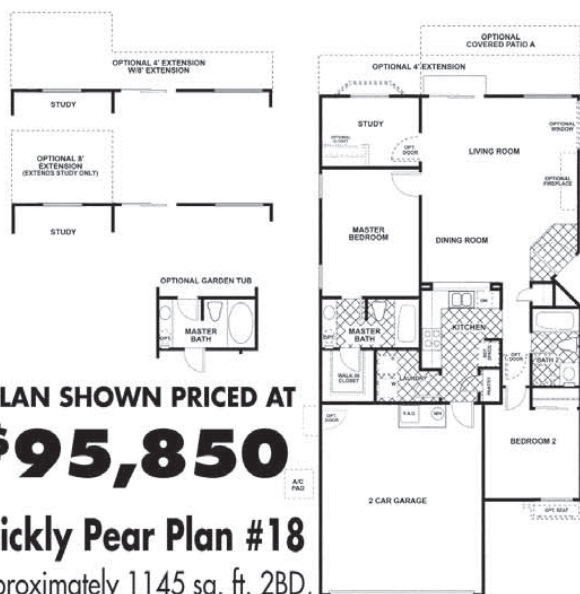


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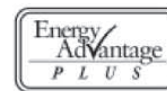
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